PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Chirag Deepak Dalal; Vaijayanti Rakshit Bharadwaj; Ronald S. Karr

Assignee: VERITAS Operating Corporation

Title: Simultaneous Allocation of Storage for Multiple Logical Volumes

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Examiner Krofcheck:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a one-month extension of time within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated March 13, 2008, such extension allowing the undersigned until July 14, 2008 to respond, since July 13, 2008 was a Sunday.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 502306.

Respe¢tfully submitted

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